

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-10 (canceled)

Claim 11. (twice amended) A tire having a core substantially filled with a solution [mixture] of core bits and a liquid virgin polyurethane, an outer casing, an exposed rim, and a valve fixed to said rim.

Claim 12. (previously presented) The tire of claim 11 wherein said valve has an opening, said core bits being sized to permit passage through said opening.

Claims 13-27 (canceled)